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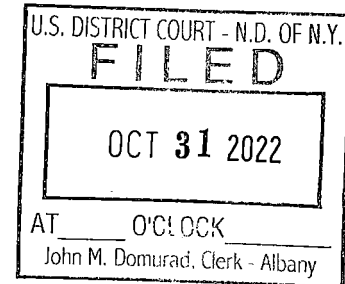
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October 27, 2022

Hon. Judge Mae A. D'Agostino
James T. Foley Courthouse
445 Broadway
Albany, New York 12207



Re: *NYS Rifle & Pistol Association, Inc., et al. v. Bruen, et al.*
Docket No.: 1:22-cv-00907

Hon. Judge D'Agostino:

This letter is submitted in order to request an extension of time to respond to the complaint on behalf of defendant Rodney K. Harrison, Commissioner of the Suffolk County Police Department.

At the outset, the undersigned would like to advise the Court that I am not admitted in the Northern District. I am an attorney in good standing in the Eastern District, where I have been admitted since 2004.

The reason for the request for an extension is twofold. First, the County of Suffolk was the victim of a cyber-attack on September 8, 2022. Since that time access to emails and our computer systems has been extremely limited, if available at all. Due to the limited communication created by the cyber-attack, the County Attorney's Office office was not aware of this complaint until two days ago, October 25th.

Second, no attorney in the Suffolk County Attorney's Office is currently admitted in the Northern District. One of the attorneys in the office, Deputy County Attorney Marc Lindemann, who is admitted in the Eastern District, is currently processing an application to be admitted to the Northern District.

I discussed these issues yesterday with Plaintiffs' counsel, James W. Porter, III, who graciously consented to an extension of time to November 17th.

This is the first request for an extension.

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It is respectfully requested that the Court grant the extension.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,

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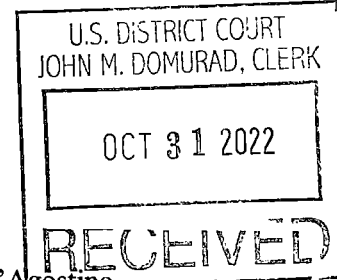
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